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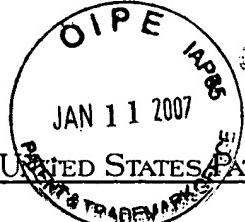
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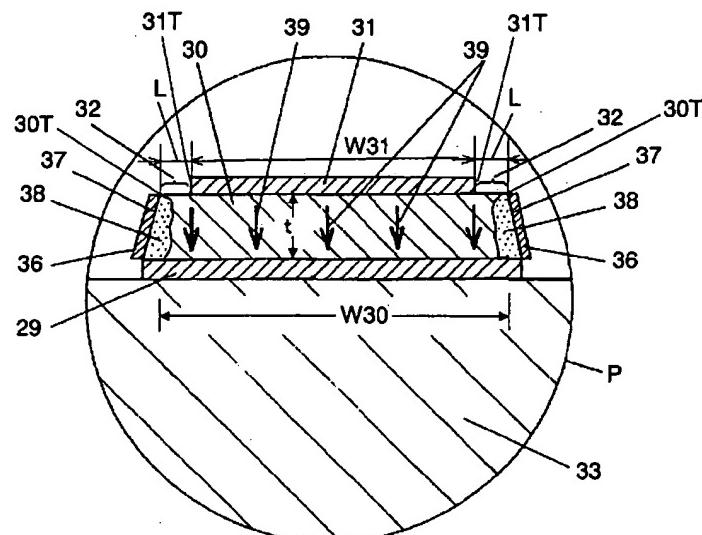
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(54) Title: ANGULAR SPEED SENSOR AND METHOD FOR FABRICATING THE SAME

(54) 発明の名称: 角速度センサおよびその製造方法



(57) Abstract: An angular speed sensor in which reliability is enhanced by preventing electric short-circuit caused by etching dusts of a conductor layer on a lower electrode. A drive electrode part, a monitor electrode part and a sensing electrode part are provided with a lower electrode (29) formed on a tuning fork type substrate (33), a piezoelectric film (30) formed of a piezoelectric material on the lower electrode (29), and an upper electrode (31) formed on the piezoelectric film (30). An end part (31T) of the upper electrode (31) is arranged on the inside of the end part (30T) of the piezoelectric film (30) and the end part (30T) of the piezoelectric film (30) is exposed from the upper electrode (31) thus providing an exposed part (32). Exposed width (L) at the exposed part (32) of the piezoelectric film (30) is set to satisfy a relation  $L \geq 0.3t$ , where, t is a thickness of the exposed part.

(57) 要約: 下部電極に生じる導体層のエッチング肩に起因する電気的短絡を防止し、信頼性を向上した角速度センサおよびその製造方法を提供する。ドライブ電極部、モニタ電極部およびセンシング電極部は、音叉形に形成し

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